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ALL CIVILIANS IN STRIKE ZONE MUST GIVE UP FIREARMS

President Wilson Gives Order and Secretary Garrison of War Department Issues Proclamation.

MILITIA IS NOT INCLUDED

Time Limit Has Been Set for Delivery of Arms and Ammunition to U. S. Federal Troops—Colorado Divided into Military Zones—More Troops Are on the Way There.

WASHINGTON, May 2.—President Wilson ordered the complete disarmament of all civilians in the Colorado strike districts. The order was issued through Secretary Garrison, who issued a proclamation couched in imperative military language and summoning every one in the strike zone who possesses arms and ammunition to surrender them to the federal troops. It is taken to apply to strikers, mine guards but not the militia. The actual wording was: "All persons not belonging to military forces."

It was stated a time limit will be set within which the order must be complied with. Colorado has been divided into four military zones, those of Canon City, Trinidad, Louisville and Ludlow. As more troops arrive it is expected the zones will be subdivided. Secretary Garrison has personal charge of the situation. No single military officer will have charge of all troops in the mine fields.

The secretary submitted to the president reports from Major Holbrook, now in the strike zone. He said the disarmament order did not intend to affect the material interests either of the mine owners or the miners, as it will be applied impartially to both.

Two more troops of cavalry are due in Denver from Georgia on Monday. More troops will be sent on the strength of representations from Governor Ammons and Major Holbrook, who said there wasn't enough guards in the state to relieve the militia at all parts of the strike district.

DODGE, Georgia, May 2.—The eleventh cavalry, commanded by Colonel Lockett, enroute from Fort Oglethorpe for Colorado.

DENVER, May 2.—Commenting on the proclamation ordering all Colorado civilians to law down their arms, Frank Grove, one of the operators' attorneys, said: "Garrison's proclamation is very welcome. We offered to disarm the guards yesterday. We never wanted to kill anybody."

PENDLETON TAKES EVENTS AT MEET

LOCAL HIGH IS MAKING GOOD SHOWING AT WALLOWA TODAY.

WALLOWA, Ore., May 2.—(Special.)—Pendleton high school track team looks like a real contender for the eastern Oregon track championship in the meet which is being held here today. Early indications are that the contest will be between Pendleton and Baker.

In the opening event, the 50 yard dash, Pendleton took both second and third. Conkey of La Grande, won first, his time being 5 3-5, with Brock a close second and Knight third.

In the half mile, Ward of Baker led the field, finishing first in 2:34 3-5. Power of Wallowa was second with Carl of Pendleton third. Bloom of Baker won the discus throw of 194 feet, 10 inches. Brown of Enterprise

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FORMER HERMISTON MAN ENDS HIS LIFE AT CONDON

HERMISTON, Ore., May 2.—News was received here yesterday of the suicide of Ed Worsham at Condon where he had been for a few days. He was a former resident of this section, having been employed by the Western Land and Irrigation Co. on the west side of the Umatilla river.

About two weeks ago he returned here from Portland and after remaining here several days announced that he would return to that city Tuesday.

The only means of identification was a check on the First National Bank of Hermiston.

He has a brother residing in Portland. His parents, living in Indiana, were notified and disposition of his body is awaiting their request.

DOMICIO DA GAMA



Senor da Gama is a Brazilian statesman, one of the mediators in the present Mexican question, trying to bring a satisfactory conclusion to the controversy.

DR. SIMON FLEXNER HONORED IN FRANCE.

NEW YORK, May 1.—In recognition of his services to science and his assistance in supplying France with anti-meningitis serum during the epidemic of cerebro-spinal meningitis in 1909, President Poincare has conferred on Dr. Simon Flexner, director of the laboratories of the Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research, the Cross of Chevalier of the Legion of Honor.

FIRST VIOLENCE IS SHOWN IN STRIKE IN PORTLAND

PORTLAND, Ore., May 2.—A shower of rocks thrown from the Broadway bridge on a launch containing non-union longshoremen was the first violence in the strike of longshoremen against the American and Hawaiian steamship company, because it refused to recognize the recently organized checkers union. One man was slightly injured. Police are guarding the docks.

E. D. Phillips is shipping 200 calves to Silvertown to help out the dairy industry.

GOOD ROADS DAY TO BE OBSERVED MONDAY WHEN KING SPEAKS HERE

Monday will be Good Roads Day in Pendleton and the merits of the split log drag will be explained and demonstrated by D. Ward King, road expert from Missouri. The first meeting will be held at the Commercial Club rooms at 10 o'clock Monday forenoon and in the afternoon a demonstration will be held. For the demonstration the meeting will be at the Commercial Club rooms at 1:30 p. m. From that rendezvous a trip will be made to a section of the county road

HIGH HONORS IN SPELLING BEE TAKEN BY EAST END OF COUNTY

The Champions.
Third grade—Alberta Holman of Freewater.
Fourth grade—Allan Christensen of Freewater.
Fifth grade—Ina Bullock of Umatilla.
Sixth grade—Faye Price of Milton.
Seventh grade—Kenneth Tullock of District 93.
Eighth grade—Clarence Ownbey of Milton.

The east end of Umatilla county proved yesterday that it not only produces champion peaches and strawberries but also produces champion spellers. Four first places and three second places were captured by the pupils of that section yesterday in the finals of the county championship spelling contest held in this city.

Pendleton was not fortunate enough to win a single place. The only representation the schools of this city has among the winners is in the tie for second place in the third grade won by Ruth Compton of the Washington school. Milton won first honors with two first and a second to the credit of her pupils with Freewater a close second with two firsts. The first place winners were presented with gold medals and the second place winners with silver medals. To the school represented by the winners a pennant was given.

Perhaps the keenest contest of all

yesterday was that among the sixth grade representatives. For two and a half hours from 2 until 5:30 in the afternoon, the contest waged before the winners were decided. All the words in the sixth grade speller were spelled correctly, the fifth grade spelled was exhausted and finally words had to be selected from readers. The two winners, Faye Price and Harold Otto, are both from Milton and it caused no great surprise that this school won out, inasmuch as the entire grade in the preliminaries qualified with an average of over 97 per cent.

The third grade contest which was not concluded until yesterday afternoon, was also one of unusual interest. Alberta Holman of Freewater, Ruth Compton of this city and Ruth Hurd of Stanfield, all little tots, stood side by side spelling every word pronounced for many minutes and finally the Pendleton and Stanfield representative missed the same word, leaving first honors for Freewater.

As stated yesterday Allan Christensen of Freewater won in the fourth grade contest, while Veda Wattenbarger of Echo was second. In the fifth grade Ina Bullock of Umatilla was second by Ruth Martin of District 2, which is called Lower Hudson Bay.

The seventh grade proved the most

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PACIFIC LINER IS SAFE IN PORT AND COMPANY RELIEVED

Report That Siberia Was Wrecked Was Due to Mistake in Interpreting Wireless Signals.

NO TROUBLE ENCOUNTERED

When News Was Received of Safety of Vessel, at Least a Dozen Ships Had Been Sent to Cruise off Formosa Seeking Wreck—Mistake Costs Company Many Hundreds.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 2.—Officials of the Pacific Mail steamship company were relieved at the news the Siberia arrived safely in Manila at 9:30 Saturday morning. Captain Zeeder reported the steamer in no trouble whatever. The report it was wrecked was due to a mistake in wireless signals.

The mistake cost the company many hundreds of dollars in cable tolls and provisions for salvage and rescue work. When word was received the Siberia was safe a dozen ships were cruising about the south end of Formosa looking for the wreck.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 2.—The liner Siberia, reported wrecked off Formosa, steamed into Manila bay within an hour of schedule time. Advice came from Manila reported that at 11 a. m. the vessel dropped anchor and her captain reported an uneventful voyage from Nagsasaki.

The explanation that the wireless call "S. O. S." and the code signals of the liner Persia "M. D. S." had become confused straightened out the affair.

Exceptional interest was taken throughout the country in the fate of the Siberia, because of the number of prominent persons on her passenger list, which included the name of Mrs. Burton Harrison, wife of the governor general of the Philippine Islands.

The wireless operator on board the Siberia said the atmospheric conditions had been bad, making the sending of wireless messages difficult.

Andy Matson, a Portland longshoreman, is contesting the labor vote with O. P. Hoff for factory inspector.

KING AND SON KEEP THEMSELVES FROM PUBLIC GAZE

John D. Gives up Golf While John D. Jr. Remains in Seclusion in Residence at Tarrytown.

PICKET LINES ARE CONTINUED

Marie Gantz is Placed Under Arrest for Having Threatened to Kill Rockefeller—Upton Sinclair Released From Jail Says System, Not Men, is Thing to be Killed.

NEW YORK, May 2.—Marie Gantz was arrested at noon while enroute to the Standard Oil offices on a warrant charging her with threatening Rockefeller Junior. She offered no resistance.

Cripe decorated pickets were on duty in front of the Rockefeller offices today. Upton Sinclair, who was released from the toms after paying a fine, again was among the pickets, a mourning band on his sleeve.

There seemed no doubt that both the oil king and his son had been impressed by the feeling shown against them in connection with their attitude toward the Colorado strike.

John Junior remained in seclusion at Tarrytown. His father played no golf yesterday although the day was ideal.

Speaking for the socialists generally, Sinclair denied sympathy with Miss Gantz in her threat to kill the Junior Rockefeller.

"It would do no good to kill an individual," he said. "What the socialists want is to kill the system he represents."

HEAD CONSUL OF W. O. W. TO ATTEND BIG MEETING

I. I. BOAK, DISTINGUISHED OFFICIAL OF ORDER WILL DELIVER ADDRESS.

On Friday evening, May 22, there will be a big meeting by Pendleton camp, W. O. W., and a distinguished guest in the person of I. I. Boak, head camp, will be present. A wire to this effect was received here today by J. P. Walker, clerk of Pendleton camp, and preparations for the meeting are now underway.

Owing to the fact this will be the only eastern Oregon point where the head consul will stop an invitation to all other eastern Oregon camps will be issued. The features of the meeting will be an address by Head Consul Boak and the initiation of a class of candidates.

COUNTRY WILL HONOR MEN WHO DIED AT VERA CRUZ

BODIES OF MARINES AND BLUE-JACKETS ARRIVE IN NEW YORK SATURDAY.

NEW YORK, May 2.—The funeral ship Montana, bringing the American bluejackets and marines who were killed at Vera Cruz will sail Monday and is due here the Saturday following. Services of a national character probably will be arranged. Daniels has been asked for the war department's cooperation.

The Nyssa cheese factory on the Snake river in March made 12,233 pounds of cheese.

NEWS SUMMARY

General.
Pacific liner Siberia arrives safely in port. Report of wreck due to mistake in wireless messages.

All civilians ordered to disarm in Colorado by President Wilson.
Oil king and his son keep in seclusion.

Pressure being brought on Huerta to get him to resign but it seems to have little effect.

Local.
East end pupils carry off major part of honors in spelling contest.

Council will require sexton fees to be paid in advance hereafter.

D. Ward King, roadmaker, will be here Monday.

Local wool market continues active, likewise sheep market.

Water commission appeal will probably not be taken up until fall.

Prenter farm house burns at Vancie.

Pendleton team makes it four straight from Yakima.

PRESSURE AGAINST DICTATOR TO OUST HIM GAINS LITTLE

Huerta Continues to Maintain There is no Reason for His Stepping Down as Head of Mexico.

MEDIATORS CONTINUE WORK

Announcement May Be Made Soon Telling What Has Been the Progress in the Negotiations to Settle Mexican Affair—Funston in Command at Vera Cruz.

VERA CRUZ, May 2.—Five hundred federal troops, trying to cut off the Vera Cruz water supply, attacked American troops on guard. Funston rushed a detachment from headquarters to reinforce his soldiers.

WASHINGTON, May 2.—America's Mexican program is beginning to take definite shape. It is expected the arbitrators will issue a statement soon telling what progress has been made. They are said to be hopeful. Even Brazilian Ambassador da Gama, who was pessimistic at first, is understood to have come over to the view that success will crown the mediation efforts eventually.

Carranza is a more difficult proposition. He has accepted "mediation in principle," but has declined to stop fighting until the rebels capture Mexico City.

The powers are reported to have hinted unofficially that it would be magnanimous of Wilson to withdraw his ultimatum that "Huerta must go." Members of the diplomatic corps expressed the opinion that Huerta's position is impossible and that he must shortly be eliminated automatically even if the Washington administration doesn't insist upon it.

The mediators did not pretend to think this would be otherwise than desirable. Through their respective embassies at Mexico City it is known they are urging the dictator to resign and Sir Lionel Carden, who is still acting as British minister, though he is under orders transferring him to Brazil is advising Huerta to the same effect.

Huerta is reported to be very balky as to the suggestion that he retire. He is said to have maintained that his attitude is perfectly correct and that he has apologized for the Tampico incident, that the demand he salute the flag is unwarranted, that he nevertheless has acceded to it with a few modifications, that he has protected Americans and that there is no reason why he should yield further.

VERA CRUZ, May 2.—In accordance with Secretary Garrison's order, General Funston is in absolute charge. Civil Governor Kerr and other civil authorities, retiring.

O'Shaughnessy started for Galveston on the tender Yankton. The Mexican city council last night suggested the prohibition of bull fights and signing an order to that effect was Kerr's last official act. Farmers surrounding Vera Cruz have asked Funston to extend his lines as they have found the Americans excellent customers for their products and want to continue supplying them but are harassed by snipers, except within the zone under American control.

ROJAS RESIGNS AT THE REQUEST OF GEN. HUERTA

WASHINGTON, May 2.—Official news that Estavio Ruiz has been appointed foreign minister of Mexico succeeding Jose Rojas, who resigned at Huerta's request, was received by the Spanish embassy.

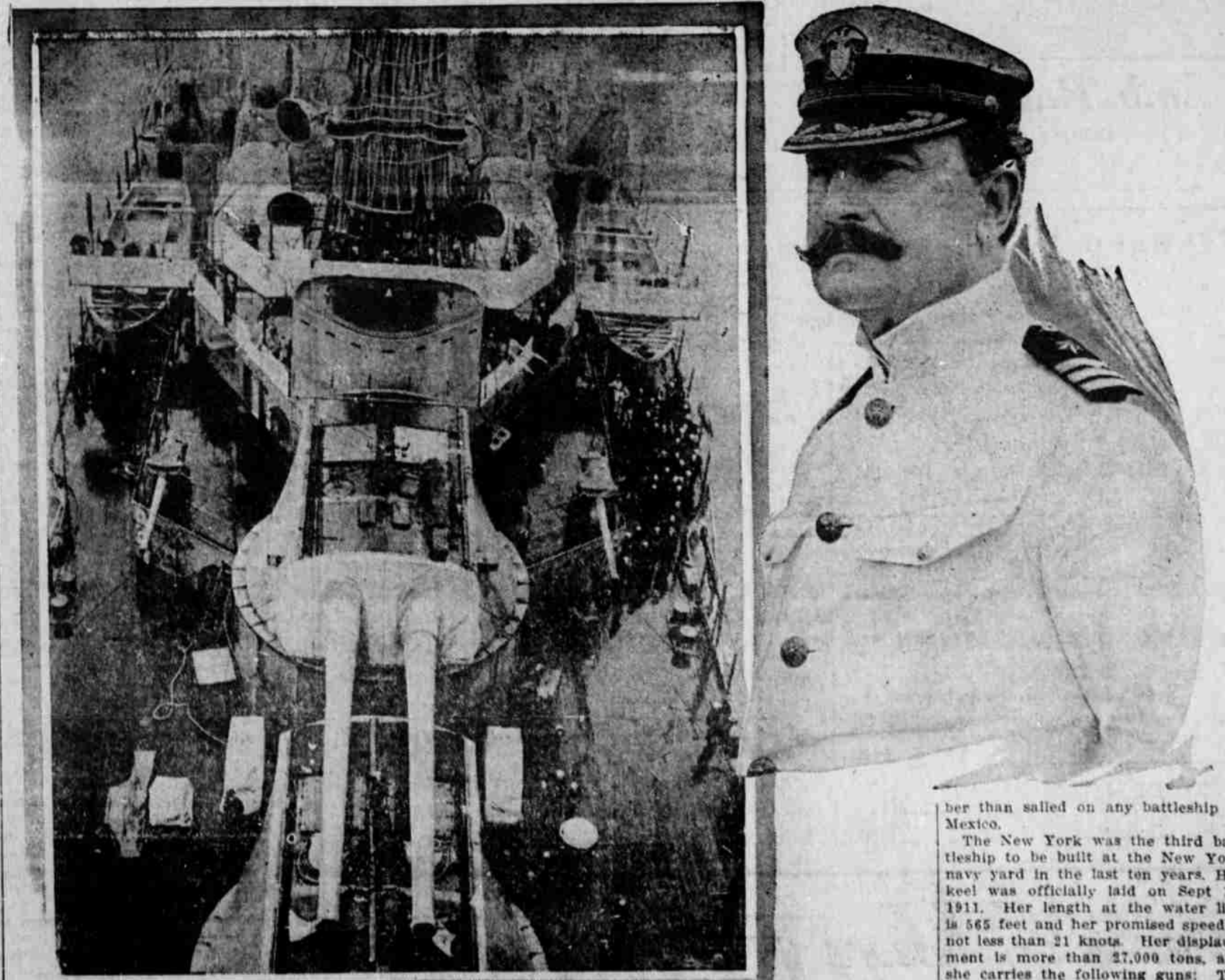
VERA CRUZ, May 2.—A rumor current here was that Mrs. Clara Beckmeyer, a German, was mistaken for an American and killed at Mexico City April 27. The report is unconfirmed.

2 STRIKEBREAKERS SAID TO HAVE BURNED TO DEATH

FEELING RUNNING HIGH AT OAK CREEK—DEPUTIES RUSH TO SCENE.

DENVER, May 2.—Advice received at noon by Governor Ammons, said that Judson Snow and Bob Doggett, strikebreakers were cremated early today in a fire which destroyed two frame buildings at Oak Creek, Rout county. Strikebreakers charge the buildings were fired by strikers. Union leaders deny it. Feeling is said to be running high, and Sheriff Chivington and several deputies rushed there in an automobile to preserve order.

Astoria continues its campaign for the use of wood block paving.



The greatest battleship ever built in the United States, one of the very greatest in the world, the New York, just placed in commission, has gone to Vera Cruz on the first voyage she has ever taken. In fact, the engines of the great vessel had never moved

her till they started on the journey to Vera Cruz. They had been tested while she was on the ways and had been found to work perfectly. But her makers were so sure they had built a perfect ship they had no fear of her engines without official tests.

This photograph shows her steaming under Brooklyn Bridge 100 feet below.

No fewer than 1300 men are under the command of Rear-Admiral Cameron McKee Winalow, a larger num-

ber than sailed on any battleship to Mexico.

The New York was the third battleship to be built at the New York navy yard in the last ten years. Her keel was officially laid on Sept. 11, 1911. Her length at the water line is 565 feet and her promised speed is not less than 21 knots. Her displacement is more than 27,000 tons, and she carries the following guns: Ten inch 45-caliber rifles, four submerged 21-inch torpedo tubes, twenty-one rapid fire 51 caliber guns, four 3-pounder saluting guns, two 1-pounder semi-automatic guns for boats, and two machine guns.

The cost of the ship, exclusive of guns and armor, was more than \$6,000,000.